

Reading Workshop – Writing Workshop Curricular Calendar

<i>Reading Workshop Curriculum Map</i>	<i>Writing Curricular Calendar</i>
Assessment Interview to Assess Use of Reading Strategies Written Retelling	Assessment (3 days) Quick Publishing
September How do we compose lives in which reading and writing matter?	Unit 1 (3 weeks) The Writing Life: Launching the Writing Workshop
October How do we use talking and writing to encourage and grow ideas?	Unit 2 (3-4 weeks) Memoir or Personal Narrative
November Making Connections (text to self, text to text, text to world)	Unit 3 (2-3 weeks) Improving the Quality of Student Writing or Craft
	Unit 4 (2 weeks) A Study of Punctuation and Complex Sentence Structure
December Relationship between writing about and talking about our written responses to text	Unit 5 (3-4 weeks) Feature Article Study
January Questioning	Unit 6 (3-4 weeks) The Essay or Writing for the Test
February Visualizing	Unit 7 (4-5 weeks) Realistic Fiction
March Inferring	Unit 8 (3-4 weeks) Choosing a Mentor Author
April Determining Importance in Text (Nonfiction)	Unit 9 (3-4 weeks) Writing as Part of a Thematic Study
	Unit 10 Reading and Writing Connections
May - June Synthesizing	Unit 11 (2 weeks) Revision
	Unit 12 (2 weeks) Writing Projects